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Notice of CEQA Scoping Meeting Concerning the Development of Basin Plan Amendments to Revise the Total Dissolved Solids and Nitrogen Management Plan

During 2003, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region (Regional Board) will consider adoption of basin plan amendments to implement changes to the Water Quality Control Plan for the Santa Ana Region, as described below. As part of this process, staff of the Regional Board will hold a CEQA scoping meeting, pursuant to California Public Resources Code section 21083.9, as amended by AB 1532, to discuss and receive public comments on the appropriate scope and content of the "functionally equivalent" document for this project prepared pursuant to Section 2090.5 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

The proposed amendments to the Water Quality Control Plan (Basin Plan) could consist of the following: 1) revision to groundwater basin and subbasin boundaries; 2) revisions of the TDS and nitrate water quality objectives for the re-defined groundwater subbasins; 3) revision of the TDS and/or nitrogen wasteload allocation for wastewater discharges; and, 4) incorporation of a Reclamation Guidance Document for the region.

The scoping meeting will be held on June 18, 2002 at the following time and location:

DATE: June 18, 2002
TIME: 2:00 p.m.
LOCATION: Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority
11615 Sterling Avenue
Riverside, California

Any person who is disabled and requires special accommodations to participate in the meeting should contact Hope Smythe at (909) 782-4493, no later than 10 days before June 18.

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